

REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendments and remarks presented herein. Applicant notes that the claims presented herein take into account the amendments proposed by the Examiner in a telephone interview on August 17, 2006.

New claims 117-151 are presented herein. All of the new claims correspond to dependent claims previously presented in the instant application. Specifically, new claims 117, 130, 137, 144, and 151 correspond to claim 97; new claims 118, 124, 131, 138, and 145 correspond to claim 81; new claims 119, 125, 132, 139, and 146 correspond to claim 85; new claims 120, 126, 133, 140, and 147 correspond to claim 86; new claims 121, 127, 134, 141, and 148 correspond to claim 87; new claims 122, 128, 135, 142, and 149 correspond to claim 88; and new claims 123, 129, 136, 143, and 150 correspond to claim 89. Thus, no new matter has been added.

Applicant asks that all claims be examined in view of the amendments presented herein. The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned agent if such would further prosecution. Please charge \$1750 for excess claim fees, and apply any other charges or credits, to deposit account 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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